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COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

TO: THE CITY COUNCIL	COUNCIL MEETING DATE	NO.
FROM: THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE	NOVEMBER 7, 1990	
SUBJECT: PURCHASE OF 47 STEEL LIGHT STANDARDS		

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council award the bid for the purchase of 47 steel light standards to the bidder whose proposal yields the lowest net cost to the City, Lingo industrial Lighting of Sacramento, in the amount of \$20,724.05.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: On October 17, 1990, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids for the purchase of 47 steel light standards. Bids were opened on October 30, 1990, with the following results:

Lingo Industrial Lighting, Sacramento
\$20,933.38 less 1% when paid within
ten days of invoice. Net cost: \$20,724.05

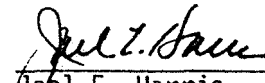
Westinghouse Electric, Concord
\$20,906.49, net 30 days. Net cost: \$20,906.49

Both bidders offered identical poles manufactured by Valmont Industries. Further, Lingo Industrial quoted a four week leadtime, while Westinghouse quoted a lead time of four to six weeks.

The Electric Utility Department has issued preliminary work orders for the replacement of 39 steel light poles. Recent inspections and tests have revealed existence of metal fatigue in some of the older standards in the street light system. As a result, the Department is moving forward to replace those poles with new, galvanized steel standards.

The additional eight poles would be placed in inventory to provide immediate replacements for other poles found to be deficient.

Funding for this purchase is available in the 1990/91 Public Works/ Street Light Maintenance account.



Joel E. Harris
Purchasing Officer

cc: Electric Utility Director
Public Works Director
Assistant Electric Utility Director
Street Superintendent
Electrical Engineer

RESOLUTION NO. 90-165

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A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AWARDING THE BID FOR THE PURCHASE OF 47 STEEL LIGHT STANDARDS

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on October 30, 1990 at 11:00 am. for the bid for 47 steel light standards, described in the specifications therefor approved by the City Council on October 17, 1990; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

Lingo Industrial Lighting, Sacramento	\$20,933.38 less 1% when paid within 10 days of invoice	Net cost \$20,724.05
Westinghouse Electric, Concord	\$20,906.49, net 30 days	Net cost \$20,906.49

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that award of the bid for 47 steel light standards be made to the bidder whose proposal yields the lowest net cost to the City, Lingo Industrial Lighting of Sacramento;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that award of bid for 47 steel light standards be and the same is hereby awarded to Lingo Industrial Lighting, the bidder whose proposal yields the lowest net cost to the City, in the amount of \$20,724.05.

Dated: November 7, 1990

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 90-165 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held November 7, 1990 by the following vote:

Ayes : Council Members - Hinchman, Olson, Pinkerton, Reid and Snider (Mayor)

Noes: Council Members - None

Absent : Council Members - None


Alice M. Reimche
City Clerk